

WCM Global Growth Limited

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Investment Process

WCM Investment Management's process is based on the belief that corporate culture is the biggest influence on a company's ability to grow its competitive advantage ('economic moat').

Company Objective

To exceed its benchmark, MSCI All Country World Index (ex-Australia) (with gross dividends reinvested reported in Australian dollars and unhedged) over rolling three-year time periods, and to experience lower volatility than the benchmark.

Portfolio Construction

A portfolio of 20 – 40 stocks with access to quality global companies primarily in the high-growth Consumer, Technology and Health Care sectors. Typical cash allocation is between 0% – 7%.

Key Portfolio Information

NTA Before Tax ¹	NTA After Tax and Before Tax on Unrealised Gains	NTA After Tax ¹	Fully Franked Annual Dividend ²
A\$2.042	A\$1.967	A\$1.849	A8.52c
Month End Closing Share Price	Dividend Frequency	Stock Universe	Fees ³
A\$2.140	Quarterly	Global (ex-Australia)	Management: 1.25% p.a. Administration: 0.10% p.a. Performance: 10% ⁴

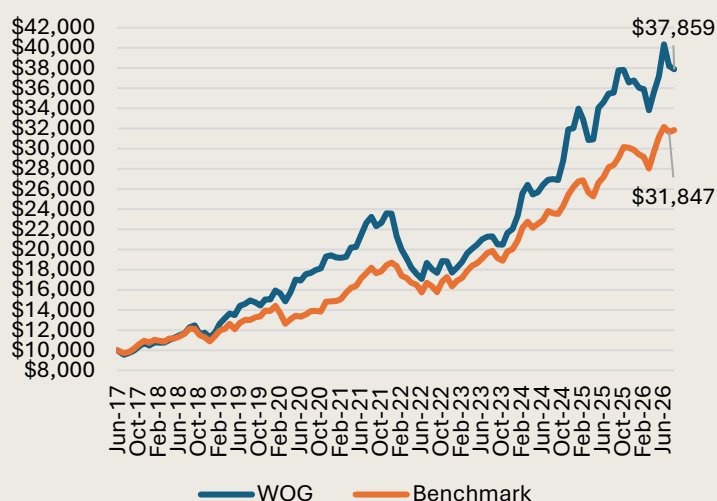
Performance⁵

	Company ⁵						Strategy ⁹	
	1 Month	3 Months	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Inception ⁸	10 Years	Inception ¹⁰
Portfolio	-0.85%	1.89%	6.49%	21.16%	10.26%	15.58%	16.20%	14.48%
Benchmark ⁶	0.66%	2.27%	12.26%	17.03%	11.88%	13.43%	13.66%	10.51%
Value Added ⁷	-1.51%	-0.38%	-5.77%	4.13%	-1.62%	2.15%	2.54%	3.97%

Top 10 Portfolio Holdings

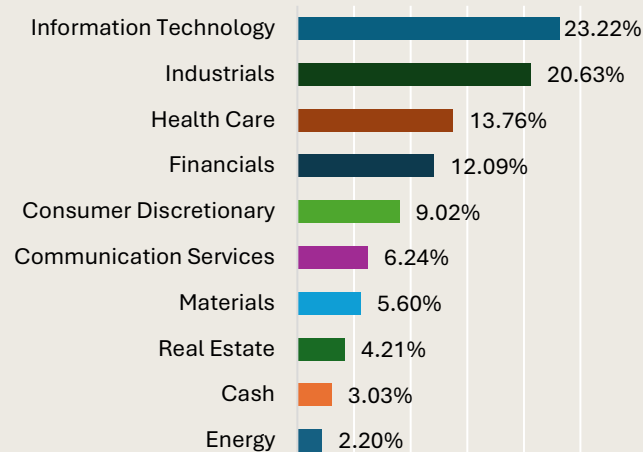
Company	Weight (%)
Taiwan Semiconductor	5.96
Siemens Energy	4.88
Rolls-Royce Holdings	4.56
Amazon.com	4.12
Seagate Technology Holdings	3.81
Microsoft Corp	3.63
Saab	2.99
Illumina	2.77
Samsung Electronics	2.69
SharkNinja	2.68

Portfolio Performance Growth of AUD \$10,000¹¹

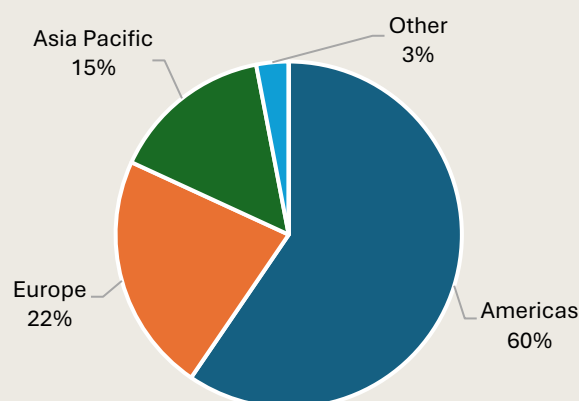


Footnotes: 1. NTA means net tangible assets and is calculated after all fees and expenses and incorporates all company assets including WQG's operating bank account. NTA per share is based on WQG's issued capital 276,610,625 shares as at the date of this report. NTA Before Tax has been reduced by cash payments of income tax liabilities where applicable 2. Dividends paid in the 12-month period to the date of this report are rounded to two decimal places. 3. Fees are inclusive of GST and less RITC. 4. Performance Fee is 10% (ex-GST) of the Portfolio's outperformance relative to the benchmark after the Management Fee and subject to high water mark. Maximum fee is capped at 0.75% of the closing market value of the Portfolio in each financial year. 5. Periods greater than 1 year are annualised. Portfolio return is in AUD and calculated before expenses and after investment management and performance fees are paid. Performance includes the reinvestment of dividends and income. 6. Benchmark for the Company is MSCI All Country World Index (ex-Australia). Benchmark for WCM Quality Global Growth Strategy (the Strategy) is MSCI All Country World Index. 7. Value Add equals Portfolio or Strategy performance minus applicable Benchmark performance. 8. Company inception date is 21 June 2017. 9. The Company has the same Investment Adviser and investment team, the same investment principles, philosophy, strategy and execution of approach as those used for the Strategy however, it should be noted that due to certain factors including, but not limited to, differences in cash flows, management and performance fees, expenses, performance calculation methods, and portfolio sizes and composition, there may be variances between the investment returns demonstrated by each of these portfolios and the Strategy in the future. As the Company has only been in operation for a relatively short period of time, this table refers to the Strategy to provide a better understanding of how the team has managed this strategy over a longer period. Performance is net of fees and includes the reinvestment of dividends and income. 10. Strategy inception date is 31 March 2008. 11. Calculations are based on the portfolio return in AUD and calculated before taxes and expenses and after investment management and performance fees. Portfolio value includes the reinvestment of dividends and income. Source: AGP International Management Pty Ltd.

Sector Exposure



Geographic Exposure



Portfolio Update

The portfolio delivered a return of -0.85% during the month, compared with the MSCI All Country World Index (ex-Australia) (the **Benchmark**) return of 0.66%. The portfolio has delivered returns in excess of the Benchmark over three years and since its inception in June 2017.

Global equity markets moved higher in August, supported by positive corporate earnings and stronger economic data. At the company level, investors' attention remained focused on those businesses set to benefit from the boom in Artificial Intelligence (**AI**) related capital expenditure. NVIDIA's shares recovered strongly from July's decline after reporting a doubling in revenues over the previous 12 months and elsewhere in the Technology sector, there were strong gains from several of the larger software companies. Materials, viewed as a beneficiary of AI infrastructure spending, also outperformed the market, as did Energy as the oil price rose with continued concerns over supply disruptions. Of the major developed markets, the US and Japan led the way, while Taiwan and South Korea - both key players in the AI-related supply chain - were among the better performing emerging markets. Factor performance was broadly even, with growth and value delivering similar returns, as did large and small caps.

Attribution analysis for the month showed that on the sector allocation side, holding no Consumer Staples was the largest positive contributor to the performance versus the Benchmark. Avoiding Utilities also helped as did the overweight position in Materials. These gains were partly offset by an overweight position in Industrials and Real Estate, alongside the underweight position in Information Technology. In terms of stock selection, the portfolio's Consumer Discretionary positions added the most value against the Benchmark, followed by Financials and Industrials. Conversely, selection within Information Technology detracted the most, with Health Care and Materials also weighing on relative returns.

A key challenge facing all active global equity managers is determining how best to position for the AI theme. To date, the WCM Quality Global Growth Strategy has benefited from owning the capital suppliers to the AI buildout: the "picks and shovels" of the theme, such as hard drives, fibre, memory and networking. But a gold rush only pays the shovel sellers for as long as someone keeps striking gold. Assuming the returns are there to justify it, the greater gains shift from those benefiting from supply chain bottlenecks to those with direct exposure to the miners finding the gold. At this stage of the cycle, while continuing to own more semiconductors than mega-cap internet, it makes sense to increase exposure to the spenders. To this end, both Meta and Alphabet were added to the portfolio in the June quarter.

Headquartered in California, Alphabet owns Google Search, YouTube, Google Cloud, its own custom Tensor Processing Unit (**TPU**) chips, and the Gemini model, giving it a unique claim on every layer of the AI stack. The trajectory of its moat is positive. Alphabet controls the silicon, a frontier model, its own data centres, and distribution across 13 products that each have more than a billion users. This stack monetises through search, cloud and external TPU demand. Alphabet is also undergoing a cultural shift for the AI era by reducing management layers, shipping at speed, favouring voluntary buyouts over layoffs, and applying a disciplined approach to capital allocation focused on return on invested capital.

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